Breadcrumbs: Adversarial Class-Balanced Sampling for Long-tailed Recognition

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1 Proof of Lemma 1

Lemma 1 Consider the augmentation of \mathcal{Z}_y^e with the snapshot transferred from epoch e' < e by EMANATE, i.e. $\mathcal{A}_y^e = \mathcal{Z}_y^e \cup \mathcal{Z}_y^{e' \to e}$, where $\mathcal{Z}_y^{e' \to e}$ is as defined in (6, paper). Then

$$L_{y}(\mathcal{A}_{y}^{e}, \mathbf{W}^{e}, \mathbf{b}^{e}) - L_{y}(\mathcal{Z}_{y}^{e}, \mathbf{W}^{e}, \mathbf{b}^{e}) \geq \frac{L_{y}(\mathcal{Z}_{y}^{e'}, \mathbf{W}^{e'}, \mathbf{b}^{e'}) - L_{y}(\mathcal{Z}_{y}^{e}, \mathbf{W}^{e}, \mathbf{b}^{e})}{2}, \tag{1}$$

where $(\mathbf{W}^e, \mathbf{b}^e)$ is the classifier of (10, paper).

Proof. From (9, paper),

$$\begin{split} &L_y(\mathcal{A}_y^e, \mathbf{W}^e, \mathbf{b}^e) = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} L_y(\mathcal{Z}_y^e, \mathbf{W}^e, \mathbf{b}^e) + \frac{1}{2} L_y(\mathcal{Z}_y^{e' \to e}, \mathbf{W}^e, \mathbf{b}^e) \end{split}$$

and since

$$L_{y}(\mathcal{Z}_{y}^{e'\to e}, \mathbf{W}^{e}, \mathbf{b}^{e}) = L_{y}(\{\mathbf{z}_{i}^{e'} - \bar{\mathbf{z}}^{e'} + \bar{\mathbf{z}}^{e}\}, \mathbf{W}^{e}, \mathbf{b}^{e})$$

$$= -\frac{1}{|\mathcal{Z}_{y}^{e'}|} \Sigma_{i} \log \nu_{y}(\mathbf{W}^{e} \mathbf{z}_{i}^{e'} - \mathbf{W}^{e} \bar{\mathbf{z}}^{e'} + \mathbf{W}^{e} \bar{\mathbf{z}}^{e'} + \mathbf{b}^{e})$$

$$= L(\mathcal{Z}_{y}^{e'}, \mathbf{W}^{e}, \mathbf{b}^{e} - \mathbf{W}^{e} \bar{\mathbf{z}}^{e'} + \mathbf{W}^{e} \bar{\mathbf{z}}^{e})$$

it follows from (10, paper) that

$$L_y(\mathcal{Z}_y^{e' \rightarrow e}, \mathbf{W}^e, \mathbf{b}^e) \geq L(\mathcal{Z}_y^{e'}, \mathbf{W}^{e'}, \mathbf{b}^{e'})$$

and

$$L_y(\mathcal{A}_y^e, \mathbf{W}^e, \mathbf{b}^e) \geq \frac{L_y(\mathcal{Z}_y^e, \mathbf{W}^e, \mathbf{b}^e) + L(\mathcal{Z}_y^{e'}, \mathbf{W}^{e'}, \mathbf{b}^{e'})}{2}$$

from which the lemma follows.